

## APD NEWS

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## Media Advisory APD Explorers to host banquet

The Austin Police Department Explorer group will be hosting their annual award banquet ceremony at 6 p.m. Friday, April 16, 2010 at Parson's House, 1130 Camino La Costa.

Serving as the guest speaker will be Austin Police Chief Art Acevedo. Participants from the Explorer group will be recognized for community service, length of service to the program, and crime prevention. Entertainment for the evening will be provided by the Lanier High School Jazz Band.

APD Explorer Banquet 6 p.m. Friday, April 16, 2010 Parson's House 1130 Camino La Costa Austin, TX 78752

The APD Explorer Program is a program that consists of boys and girls between the ages of 15-20 who have an interest in law enforcement. The youth attend weekly meetings where they train in areas including patrol tactics, forensics, communications, criminal investigations, and leadership. Currently, there are 30 youth involved in the APD Explorer Program.

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